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In re application of

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## AMENDMENT "A" AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 REPLY TO NONFINAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed January 7, 2010 (the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.